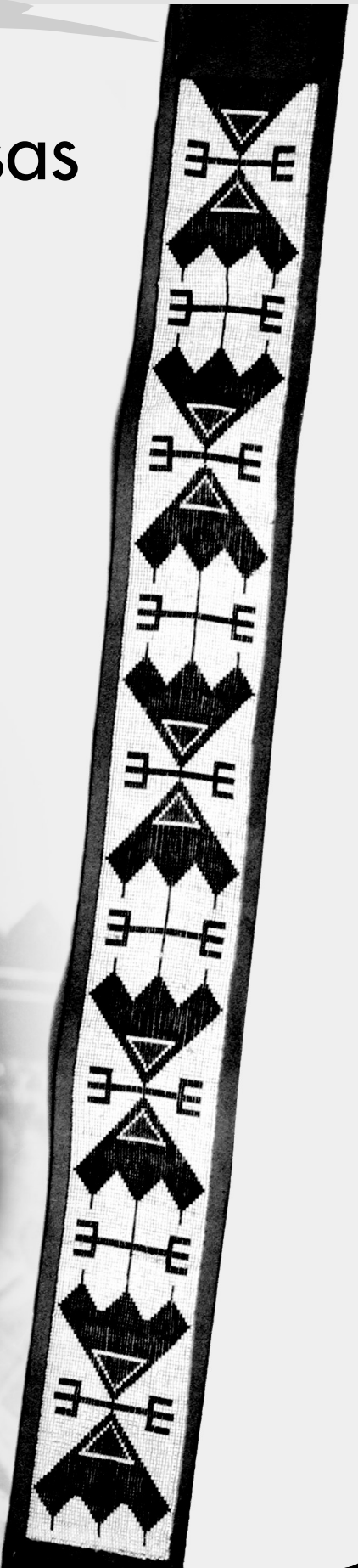


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Walking-Dog's Daily Life

My name is Walking-Dog. I lived a long time ago. I am an Osage boy. The sun is coming up. I am getting ready for a busy day. Today my brothers and I will help our father. We will go hunting near our home. We hunt for deer and rabbits. We will eat some sweet, wild berries when we hunt. My sisters will help our mother. She is cooking buffalo meat and wild potatoes in a stew. It will cook all day long.

When we come home from hunting, we eat the buffalo stew. Then we will sit around the fire and talk. My grandfather tells us stories. He tells us about our history. I like to hear my grandfather tell stories. I learn many things from my grandfather.

The sun has gone down. It is dark in our lodge. It is time to go to sleep. Tomorrow will be another busy day.